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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are eleven (11) sheets of formal drawings for the above-referenced patent application in response to the Office Action dated July 15, 2003.

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